

PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

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For: REMOTE ACCESS MEDICAL IMAGE EXCHANGE SYSTEM AND

METHODS OF OPERATION THEREFOR

FOURTH PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application on the merits, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Before the first line on Page 1, please ADD the following statement:

-- CROSS REFERENCES TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This is a continuation of application Serial 08/854,474, which was filed on May 12, 1997, and subsequently issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,006,191 on December 21,1999, which application claims benefit of Provisional Application No. 60/017,316 filed May 13, 1996.--